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### EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

#### Troubles in The Five-Cent Store.

One of the principal five and ten cent store managers in Washington warns that "it is about time to tie the crepe on the five cent piece of our forefathers, since you can no longer buy a good five cent cigar, a package of cigarettes, a full grown orange, or a roll of life-saver candies with it, while the number of articles sold for the coin in the stores with the red fronts are becoming fewer in number." The same authority declares that the five-cent piece has shriveled until it actually represents about one-half the purchasing power that it had in the days when Woolworth, Kress, McCrory, et al., discovered their recipes for getting rich.

Clerk's wages in the five and ten cent stores have advanced from fifty to one hundred per cent. The different elements surrounding the kind of merchandising are of a good deal of interest at the present time, when the druggist has nothing left on his shelves that sells for five cents, and when the grocer refuses to cut off enough cheese to bait a mouse trap for less than a ten cent coin. The nickel is struggling hard to maintain its ancient respectability in the commercial world, but as it lost out in the jitney experiment, so is it losing out in all lines of trade and industry. The Woolworth stores are adhering to their time-honored policy of handling only five and ten cent articles of merchandise, but in doing this cloth of the bolt that formerly sold by the yard is now displayed at ten cents for a quarter yard. Writing paper in bulk and in packages remains in the five cent zone, but shrinkage in quantity and deterioration in quality forbids that the commodity will move into the ten cent class. The Kresge and McCrory establishments are deserting five and ten cent standards, and innumerable articles have been advanced by them to fifteen, twenty and twenty-five cents, and even higher. Tinware and earthenware, for instance, that has permanently parted company with the Woolworth stores since it can no longer be sold within their price limits, remains on the shelves and counters of the "independents," but at the advanced figures.

The cake of soap on the five-cent counter is getting so small that one will be compelled to look for it with a spy glass before long; five-cent towels have moved up in the world and nothing less than a ten cent piece accomplishes their removal from a store of the five-and-tens. The five cent package of needles is no more, and the girls at the counter tells you that "imported goods like them that comes over from England and France can't be sold no more for less than ten cents, and you're mighty lucky to get them so cheap." Handkerchiefs are not imported, but they have kissed the five-cent counter a permanent good-bye, and now don't themselves among ten cent goods. The five-cent counter of pins that never were any good at any price, have shown an ambition to improve their status in society, and they have started to climb the price ladder, with the result that they have already changed their relations with the purchasing power of the nickel. Safety pins have much the same record, and instead of two cards for a nickel they are now exactly double that price. Glassware has had a die-

tinct "break" with the winsome nickel, and the best you can do in that time is to buy three tumblers for a dime. The glass dishes that formerly sold at five cents have all moved over onto the ten-cent counters. Parawax, used in preserving, has jumped from the five-cent to the ten-cent price; and candles are renewing their youth and are now five cents apiece and going up. Safety matches that formerly sold at five cents per dozen boxes are now on the counter across the aisle marked up "eight boxes for a dime," and coat hangers have advanced a clear one hundred per cent, so that good ones are no longer obtained for less than a dime.

The conditions as pictured in Washington are found to obtain in all parts of the country, and they are significant in showing the constantly diminishing power of the time-honored nickel.

#### KENTUCKY'S PART IN UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN.

Kentucky's part in the great nation-wide war drive to raise \$170,500,000 for the comfort and morale of the boys serving with the flag "over there," "over here" and with the battleships everywhere, will be enthusiastically boosted at a big meeting to be held at the Seelbach Hotel, in Louisville, to-day, Friday, Sept. 13th, and will be attended by representatives from all parts of the State.

The great national United War Work Campaign is to be carried on jointly by the seven welfare bodies recognized by the War Department in Europe. This is at the suggestion of President Wilson and the following organizations will participate: The Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Board, the American Library Association, the War Camp Community Service and the Salvation Army. As originally planned, the week of Nov. 11th, was to be given over to the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the War Camp Community Service and the American Library Association to raise \$130,500,000 for their united work the coming year. The Knights of Columbus, the Jewish Welfare Board and the Salvation Army were to stage a similar drive the middle of January. At the recent request of President Wilson all seven agencies are now to unite in one big drive the week of November 11th and the goal has been set at \$170,500,000, the largest sum ever proposed for such a purpose in the history of the world.

Definite plans for the campaign will be outlined at a complimentary luncheon to be held at the Seelbach Hotel in Louisville, Friday at noon, and will be addressed by the following speakers: Sherwood Eddy, New York; W. P. Sidley, Chicago; Leonard Paulson, Chicago; Mrs. Henry P. Davidson, of New York, and others. This meeting will be attended by representatives of the seven agencies from all parts of the State and will be the largest conference of its kind ever held in Kentucky.

#### DON'T CRIPPLE PRODUCTION.

(New York Commercial.) We must conserve money and credit for the winning of the war, but we must not cripple production. The cost of this war must come out of the wealth we create as we go along.

Banks are the trustees of the people. Their actual capital is only a drop in the bucket. Ninety per cent. of the money they lend consists of the deposits they receive, and these deposits come from the people who produce real wealth. If the banks are forced to refuse money to merchants and manufacturers, and trade and industries are crippled, the sources of taxation and subscriptions for liberty bonds will be dried up. America is threatened with interferences with ordinary business that may lessen the ability of the people to supply the needs of war. For this reason official letters of advice to banks to curtail the extension of credit are creating anxiety. The better way would be to stimulate production and create new wealth upon which the Government could draw.

#### CHANGE NOTION ABOUT CALOMEL.

New Variety Called Calotabs Is Perfect Safe and Delightful

With all of the liver cleansing and system purifying qualities of the old style calomel, but robbed of its sickening, griping and dangerous effects, Calotabs is destined to become the most popular of all home remedies, as it has already become the favorite of all physicians. The new style calomel, called Calotabs, is perfectly delightful in effect. One tablet at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No nausea, no griping. Next morning you awake feeling fine, your liver active, your system purified and with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please, there is no restriction of habit or diet.

Genuine Calotabs are never sold in bulk. Ask for the original, sealed package, price thirty-five cents. Your druggist recommends and guarantees Calotabs. (adv)

#### QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSION TO S. A. T. C.

President Garfield, of Centre College, Danville, on Tuesday, received the following telegram from Washington:

"Admission to S. A. T. C. is confined to students graduated from standard four years secondary schools, or having equivalent educational qualifications."

The only girl city controller in the country is Miss Bessie Townsend, who has successfully filled the office in Atlantic City through three administrations.

#### LOCAL Y. M. C. A. ELECTS NEW OFFICIALS.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bourbon County Y. M. C. A., held at the building on Main Street, Tuesday, the election of officers and outlining their duties for the ensuing year, resulted as follows:

##### GENERAL SECRETARY.

Z. L. Wilcox, Supervisor of entire Association program; training staff; promote men's and boys' work other than physical; develop extension work in community and county.

##### PHYSICAL DIRECTOR.

Rev. R. C. Goldsmith—Gymnasium, men, business men and young men; High School, younger boys; C. & S. League; Girls' C. and S. League; swimming for men and boys; oversight of drills and out-door features of Boy Scouts; out-door work, C. and S. League; Association standard programs; picnic; play days and field meets.

##### FIRST ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

O. L. Davis—Superintendent building; records; cash receipts and sales; dormitory rentals; membership; statistics; finances and collections of building; pledges; war work pledges; membership fees; office Secretary and counter man; Executive Secretary of Men's Service League and Bourbon County Gospel Workers; assistant with men's work.

##### SECOND ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

Foster Mitchell—Assistant Physical Director; gymnasium; supervisor locker room and swims; out-door work; Assistant Scoutmaster; regular meetings; special meetings; hikes and out-door work; Assistant Office and Boys' Secretary.

Mr. T. K. Smith, who retires as Assistant Secretary, has taken the position as Physical Director at M. I. in Millersburg.

#### TO AILING WOMEN

A Little Sound Advice Will Help Many a Sufferer in Paris.

No woman should consider herself healthy and well if the kidneys are weak. Poisons that pass off in the secretions when the kidneys are well are retained in the body when the kidneys are disordered. If the kidneys and bladder become inflamed and swollen worse troubles may quickly follow. This is often the cause of bearing-down pains, lameness, backache, etc. Urine poisoning is also frequent cause of headaches, dizzy spells, languor, nervousness and rheumatic pain.

When suffering so, try Doan's Kidney Pills, a remedy that has proven effective in thousands of such cases. Let a Paris woman tell of her experience.

Mrs. A. L. Burley, 329 Eighth St., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, getting them from the Ardery Drug Co., and from the benefit I received, I certainly think they are a good, reliable remedy. Whenever my kidneys have acted irregularly or my back has been weak and lame, I have used a box or so of Doan's Kidney Pills. They have always relieved me of the complaint."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Burley had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv)

#### AMERICANS IN CANADA SUBJECT TO DRAFT LAWS.

Instructions have been sent out to all registrars and deputy registrars throughout Canada under the military service act outlining procedure in regard to the enlistment of American citizens of Canada subject to the draft laws under the new Canadian-American convention.

All male Americans of the ages of 21 to 30, both inclusive, are given sixty days either to enlist or enroll voluntarily in the Canadian expeditionary force or to claim diplomatic exemption. If at the expiration of the sixty days these men have done nothing in regard to military service they automatically become subject to the Canadian draft laws. The order also applies to Canadians in the United States.

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Piano and Violin,  
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#### Boswell Farm!

We will rent publicly at the court house door, at 2 o'clock, p. m., on

Saturday, Sept. 14, 1918,

the Boswell farm containing 140 1/2 acres situated on Paris & Lexington Pike, 1 1/2 miles from Paris, with interurban stop in front of dwelling.

To be cultivated as follows:

About 40 acres in corn, 24 acres in wheat, 9 acres in rye, 17 acres in clover, 7 acres in timothy and balance to remain in grass.

Contract to be read at time of renting and note to be secured satisfactorily to the undersigned.

This is an excellent farm with nice dwelling and is desirable in every way.

BOURBON-AGRICULTURAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY.  
Guardian of Boswell Heirs.

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#### For Rent

Nice flat, on south side, over C. P. Cook's grocery; all modern conveniences. (10-2t) JNO. T. HINTON.

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#### HELP WANTED

Man, woman or boy to assist in dairy work. Good wages and steady employment. Apply at once to MRS. J. U. BOARDMAN, Both Phones 224, Paris, Ky. (6-1t)

#### For Rent.

Nice Main street flat in second story. Has all modern improvement. Call on or address, MRS. MARIA LYONS, 918 Main St., Paris, Ky. (2-1t)

#### IRON

We pay highest prices for iron junk, hides and wool. MUNICH & WIDES & CO., Eighth St., Paris, Ky. Cumb. Phone 374. (23-1t)

#### WE BUY OLD FALSE TEETH

We pay from \$2.00 to \$35.00 per set (broken or not). We also pay actual value for Diamonds, old Gold, Silver and Bridge-work. Send at once by parcel post and receive cash by return mail.

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#### Wanted--Junk.

We pay the following prices for junk, which we guarantee the best prices to be obtained anywhere in the State. Send us your shipments: Rags, \$3.60 per hundred pounds. Mixed Iron, \$1.00 per hundred pounds.

Rough Iron, \$1.10 per hundred pounds. Heavy Cast, \$1.10 per hundred pounds.

Bones, \$1.20 per hundred pounds. Heavy Copper, 23c per pound.

Light Copper, 21c per pound.

Mixed Heavy Brass, 21c per pound.

Light Brass, 12c per pound.

Lead, 6 1/2c per pound.

Zinc, 5 1/2c per pound.

Aluminum, 24c per pound.

Boots and Shoes, 7 1/2c per pound.

Trimmed Artics, 5 1/2c per pound.

Inner Tubes, 11c per pound.

Green Salt Hides, 18c per pound.

Green Hides, 16c per pound.

Calfskins, 27c per pound.

Horse Hides, \$6.50 for No. 1's.

Lambkins, \$2.00.

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## LETTERS FROM BOURBON COUNTY SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Under date of Aug. 3, Roger Q. Thomson, Jr., grandson of Mrs. John T. Hinton, of Paris, sends a breezy letter from France. Mr. Thomson's letter, which is one of the most interesting we have yet read, is as follows:

"France, Aug. 3, 1918.

"Dear Auntie—I hope my letter written some ten days ago announcing my departure for the training camp arrived O. K. Had quite an enjoyable trip, stopping for a few hours in Paris, France, on the way here. Our stay was of only a few hours duration and I didn't have time to see as much of the town as I would have liked. What I did see though was well worth while. I am hoping to have a chance of looking in over in more leisurely fashion at some future time."

"The training camp is well located in a very healthful, as well as beautiful, part of France. We are sufficiently far behind the lines to not have to worry about aeroplane raids and twelve-inch shells for a while now. It's quite a welcome change, too. As the English say, 'I got jolly well fed upon it.' I am glad to settle down for a while in this section for another reason, i. e. all the troops are Americans and we get honest-to-goodness Yankee grub. No more tea, cheese and jam like we have been having to put up with in the past."

"I ran into a little hard luck my second day here by spraining my left ankle. However, it is coming along nicely and I expect to be out on crutches within the next day or so. Of course this is rather disappointing at such a time as the present, when every minute lost is equal almost to an hour otherwise, but am studying my manual, and this may partly help to bridge over."

"I presume you folks back home have been keeping up with the progress of events over here for the past few weeks. I can't help but wonder how the Hun mind is going to readjust itself so as to account for the fighting qualities and results obtained by 'America's amateur army.' The Yanks have forced him to bring on his best and best have been beaten. Wouldn't be a bit surprised to see some very interesting political developments in Germany between now and next spring."

"One of the boys here in the hospital with me is just back from the sector where most of our fighting has been going on. He says they found scores of Germans chained to their guns and on one occasion found German Red Cross women lying dead beside machine guns which they had been operating. It is really pitiful the way the German Government deceives its subjects. On our way down here one of the box cars in our train was filled with German prisoners. At one point along the route we were held up a couple of hours, so several of us went up to have a look at the 'Fritzes.' One of our party fortunately could speak German. They wanted to know how many Americans were over, and my friend announced, 'Oh, a lot.' The German then wanted to know if we had as many as 100,000 troops over here. Also whether Paris was still in German hands. These are facts, from which you can judge how grossly untrue is the information circulated among the troops by their Government. Please make allowance for this scrawl. Am writing in bed with my knees for a desk and results are none too good."

"Don't worry about the ankle. It is really progressing splendidly and I am confident I will be using it a bit before another week is out. Please note the change in address. With love to all the family and best regards to any inquiring friends, I am

"Your affectionate nephew,  
ROGER D. THOMSON.

"My address is Candidate Roger D. Thomson, Jr., A. C. S., A. P. O. 714, American E. F., France."

Mrs. Charles Sauer, of Paris, is in receipt of a letter from her brother, Mr. Alvin M. Thomas, formerly of Paris, who is in France as a member of the American Expeditionary Force. The letter follows:

"August 4, 1918.

"Dear Sister:—I guess you are under the impression that have forgotten you altogether. It seems like I am never going to hear from you all. I have not received one letter from the States since I came over, although I am looking to hear from

some one soon. I am getting along just fine. I think the condition over here is very good for us boys, much better than I expected. My health is grand—so you know I am one thankful boy and I hope to continue. From what I can hear and see, Uncle Sam's boys sure have the Huns on the run."

"I am on the Western front, some on the Marne River, and you know I am experiencing quite a bit. I would like to write you and tell you all about the war conditions, but it's against the rules. Just wait until I get back to the States, then I can tell you all about it, for I know you will be very interested in my story. And don't forget to write as often as you can, for that's the only pleasure a soldier has, and that's a letter from home now and then."

"Give my regards to all. In closing my letter, I hope to hear from home soon. I am sending lots of love to all."

"ALVIN M. THOMAS,  
Co. A, 6th U. S. Engrs., American  
Expeditionary Force, France."

Mr. James Porter, of Louisville, formerly of Paris, sends THE NEWS the following interesting letter from Noah Clark, a Paris boy, who is now in France in the service:

"France, July 25, 1918.

"Dear Jim:—I have been intending to write for some time, but have been changing around so fast that I hardly knew one day where I would be the next."

"Left Philadelphia, July 6, for Hoboken and sailed from there on the Manchuria. Had a fine trip over, as the sea was as smooth as glass, and I did not get sea sick, but I came so near it that I was afraid to laugh at anybody else for feeding the fish."

"This is an old town and has a very fine harbor, and the scenery is very fine. I have not been on liberty yet, so don't know much about it, but everything is wide open here and a uniform don't put any lid on. Will have to study up a little French before I go out by my lonesome."

"They call this Sunny France, but I don't see where it got its name, as it rains here every day."

"How is Mrs. Porter getting along? Give her my regards and tell her I sure would like to have one of her good breakfasts in the morning. I haven't had a pay day yet, and it sure is h— being broke."

"Where are you going now? Hope you have found something that suits you. Give my regards to all the bunch. Don't know anything else to write, so will close for this time, with regards to you and Mrs. Porter."

"Your friend,

"NOAH CLARK,  
U. S. Naval Air Station, France,  
American Expeditionary Force,  
Care Postmaster, New York."

First Lieutenant Reuben B. Hutchcraft, of Paris, now somewhere in France with the 166th Infantry, has written County Attorney David D. Cline a brief but interesting letter from the battle front overseas.

Lieut. Hutchcraft also sent in his letter a souvenir cigarette which was evidently taken from the mouth of a German soldier after he had been killed. The cigarette, which had not been lighted, bore stains of saliva indicating that the Boche was preparing to enjoy his smoke when he was killed presumably by one of our American soldiers. Written on the cigarette is the date "June 15, 1918," no doubt the date when the German soldier was killed.

Lieut. Hutchcraft also sent Mr. Cline a copy of The Ohio Rainbow Reveille, the official organ of the 166th Infantry, which contains interesting news for the soldier boys. Among the witty paragraphs we select the following for publication:

"The German prisoner was asked if he realized the great causes for which the Allies were fighting. 'Certainly,' said he. 'The Italians are fighting to whip the Austrians; the French are fighting for their country; the British are fighting for the mastery of the seas, and the Americans are fighting for souvenirs.'

Lieut. Hutchcraft's letter to Attorney Cline, written on Y. M. C. A. stationery, and dated 20 June, 1918, follows:

"Dear Dave:

"Am inclosing you a souvenir of the recent battle. The Boche to whom this cigarette belonged has quit smoking here on account of an American 30 calibre. Would send you a cart load of helmets, rifles, packs,

bayonets, etc., if the postal authorities would permit. Give my regards to all the boys."

"HUTCH."  
O. K.  
Reuben B. Hutchcraft, Jr.,  
1st Lt. 166th Inf.

"Norfolk, Va., Sept. 7, 1918.

"THE NEWS:—How goes every thing in the old town? I finished my flights and other work in Akron last week and received orders last Tuesday to report to Hampton Roads, so here I am. I received a four-days furlough before I left Akron, and had a mighty nice time with mother and Margaret up in Two Rivers, Wis. I guess John and Edwin are overseas now, as they left about two weeks ago. I like this station fine, but can't give Norfolk a reputation for a town to have a good time. There are too many sailors and soldiers here.

"There are almost as many British and Japanese as anybody else. It goes without saying there are lots of good looking girls here, which is characteristic of every Southern town, but it would take Admiral Sims or General Pershing to attract their attention.

I ran into a Paris boy coming down on the boat, but have forgotten his name. I hear our good friend Jack Turney is at Camp Mills, and of course we all know what that means.

"He will have to hurry if he expects to beat me across, as I hear we will soon see sea service, which is glad news. It looked like for awhile we were doomed to the good ship 'never sail,' but am more than glad we are about to graduate from that class.

"Guess I will go on a five or six days' cruise somewhere on the old pond before many days have past. Am glad I was sent here instead of New York, as I am sure I will like it much better. There are not as many bright lights and about the only wet spots around here is the old Chesapeake and Atlantic, but the pretty Southern girls and good food offset the above many times. I started this with the intention of only sending my address, but here I have written quite a lengthy epistle. Please rush the old NEWS to me.

"CADET J. MONROE SWEENEY,  
"U. S. N. Air Station, Naval Operating Base, Hampton Roads, Balloon Div., Norfolk, Va."

Under date of August 12, Sergeant Major Earl Curtis writes from overseas to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Curtis, as follows:

"Dear Folks:—I suppose you have by this time given up hearing from me, but we have, since our arrival in France, been handicapped by the lack of a Regimental Censor Stamp, without which no mail could be forwarded. However, we finally landed one to-day, and my letters in the future should reach you more regularly, although pretty lengthy periods of time may ensue between the receipt of some of them, due to the congested conditions and lack of facilities for handling mail over here.

"There is very little news to give you, other than to state that our trip across the big pond and then through the interior of France, although very interesting, was uneventful.

"I am, at this time, not allowed to divulge our present location, other than to say that we are several miles back of the front line trenches in as beautiful a section of country as can be found in old Bourbon county, which is certainly saying a whole lot.

The country is not mountainous but very hilly. Every foot of ground is productive and is utilized by these people. The variety of crops is not very great, consisting almost altogether of cereals and truck products, but the yield all seems to be above the normal that is raised at home.

"Although all of these people realize the situation their country is in, and almost without exception each family has given up some one in the past four years, they maintain an optimistic air and do not seem to have any doubt as to what the final outcome will be.

"We have been treated royally at every point at which we have come in contact with the people and have been greeted innumerable times with the Viva la Amerique, Viva la France, which are about the only two phrases known in common by the American and Frenchmen. It is very amusing to see us trying to talk French and is equally amusing to see the French trying to talk English.

"Prices here are all out of proportion. Eggs are worth \$1.20 per dozen, while good room and bed can be hired per month for the price of a dozen eggs.

"My new address is Regt.-Sgt.-Maj. William E. Curtis, Hd. Co. 143d Inf. Amer. E. Forces, A. P. O. 728 via New York, so that I can get the paper regularly.

"Will quit now so that this letter will get off to-day. Give my regards to everybody."

"EARL."

Mrs. Mollie James, of this city, is in receipt of a letter from her son, Sgt. Lawrence H. James, written from France under date of August 9, from which THE NEWS has been permitted to make the following extracts:

"August 9.

"Dear Mother:—First, of all, I want to tell you that I am here, safe and sound, faring much better than I had ever hoped for. Five of the sergeants, including myself, are billeted with a French family. Very nice, indeed, and while we can't shoot the lingo very strong, we manage to get along very nicely by making signs and using our French-English dictionaries. We have two rooms, and our beds are very inviting, great thick feather affairs with pure lambs wool blankets for cover. Our eats are good, also, and the officers are taking awfully good care of us.

"Spent four days and four nights on the train from the port at which we were landed, to standing on our heads and most every way imaginable. The roads of France are much better than those of our U. S. A., and are very picturesque, with trees growing on both sides, each tree being the same distance from the other, and all directly opposite each other. The country is very rolling and the towns are built in the valleys, mostly quaint, old-fashioned French houses,

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Mr. J. W. Davis has gone to Martinsville, Ind., for a stay of several days.

—Miss Sarah Power left Wednesday for Shelbyville, to attend Science Hill Academy.

—Rev. W. E. Ellis was a guest of friends and relatives in Louisville several days this week.

—Mr. James H. Haggard, who has been very ill at his home on Cypress street for some time, is improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Sudduth and daughter, Miss Virginia Sudduth, have moved from Paris to Irvine, to reside.

—Mrs. L. M. Tribble has returned from an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Glenn, in Stephen, Missouri.

—Mrs. Allmand Arthur, of Winchester street, has as guest her sister, Miss Fannie McClure, of Conway, Ky.

—Mrs. William Crawford has returned to her home near Midway, after a visit to Mrs. Theodore Butler, near Paris.

—Mr. Reynolds Bell, of the county, left Tuesday for Berea, where he will matriculate as a student at Berea College.

—Miss Sallie Whaley has concluded a very pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes and family in Nicholasville.

—Mrs. James Grinnell and Miss Ina Mattox are visiting Mrs. Lucy Bryant, in Covington, and Miss Nora Hartley, in Cincinnati.

—Dr. H. E. Foster left Wednesday for Owenton, Ky., to spend a ten-days' vacation with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Foster, Sr.

—Mr. Jesse Herrin, who recently underwent a surgical operation at the Massie Memorial Hospital, in this city, is considerably improved.

—Miss Clara Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baldwin, who has been seriously ill at the Massie Memorial Hospital, is improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Carter will move to Lexington soon to reside. Their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Stuart Carter, is attending school there.

—Miss Nancy Barbee Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sims Wilson, left Wednesday, for Shelbyville, to attend Science Hill Academy.

—Miss Anna B. Price, of Danville, has returned home, accompanied by Miss Lillian DeJarnett, after a visit to Mrs. J. W. DeJarnett, on Sixteenth street.

—Mrs. Charles H. Mehagan, of Chicago, formerly Miss Virgie Kelley, of Millersburg, is guest of her sister, Mrs. E. F. Clay, and Col. Clay, near Paris.

—Mr. W. S. Caywood, formerly of Paris, who is now connected with the Bureau of Supplies, at Washington, D. C., is a guest of his brother, Mr. J. B. Caywood, County Superintendent of Schools.

—Miss Nell Whaley, of Paris, who was elected an instructor of Latin in Hamilton College, in Lexington, will assume her duties there next Monday.

Miss Whaley will also have charge of the Latin department at Transylvania University.

—Mrs. W. L. Davis, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hinton, in this city, has gone to Louisville for a short visit to relatives.

She will return here for a visit to Mrs. Hinton before returning to her home in Columbia, South Carolina.

—Mr. Keith Phillips, of Atlanta, Georgia, came to Paris, Wednesday, to welcome the new arrival in his household, Master Marion Keith Phillips. Mr. Phillips and family are guests at the home of Mrs. Phillips' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas, at Ninth and Main.

—Miss Josephine Hayden, formerly of Paris, who has been doing club work at Paducah, will leave to-morrow for Jacksonville, Ill., where she will resume her duties as teacher in the school. Miss Hayden is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hayden, of this city, and has been very successful in her chosen work.

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all of them built of stone many years ago. There are no porches. . . . Our trip was some trip. Part of the men rode in the quaint old boxcars labeled Hommes 40, Chateaux 8. Others rode in passenger coaches, which the French distinctively divide into first, second and third class. Each car is divided into four compartments, each compartment seating eight persons. . . . The trip would have been tiresome, but during the day the scenery was so fine that we couldn't feel worried and naturally all soldiers have learned to sleep at night, however uncomfortable the sleeping place may be. We slept standing on our heads some of the time.

"Getting shaved in a barber shop is one of the few luxuries I've been afforded since I have been over here. It was amusing to me. Anderson Cahal might get a few pointers and I know 'Zek' Curtis could. The French who scraped me was an old bird, about fifty-five, I should judge. He placed me in an old barber chair, nothing at all like those in the U. S., just a plain, straight-backed affair, with a movable panel, with head rest attached. He shaved me with a blade that looked like the one in the guillotine which beheaded Marie Antoinette. . . . But I won't prolong the agony by telling you all of the misery I went through with while that fellow was working on my beard." Suffice it to say it was awful.

"I think I was in the same town where Buddie was for a few days, but I couldn't find him. Saw two Paris boys and a Jew lieutenant from Lexington over here, Billie Gouston, a brother of Mrs. Matt Lair. You might phone her and tell her that he is O. K. and looking fine. Well, I must close now, so with love to all, I am.

"Lovingly,

"EARL."

"P. S.—My address is Sergt. Lawrence H. James, M. G. Co. 143d Inf. American Expeditionary Forces. Be sure and address all my mail just this way, as then I will get it."





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**CALLED MEETING OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE**

There will be a meeting of the Bourbon County Democratic Committee at the court house in Paris, tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 14, at four o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of selecting officers for the coming election.

W. D. McINTYRE, Chairman.

READ EVERY PAGE.

Don't overlook any page of this issue of THE NEWS. There's good local news scattered all through the issue. On another page will be found a full report of the recent meeting of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist church, at Cynthiana, with a list of the Conference appointments, besides other matters of general news interest to our readers. Every page is a local page. See and ye shall find.

SLOT MACHINES "RAISED"

Several slot machines dispensing candy and chewing gum, being operated in different places of business in the city were taken out Wednesday by the operators after a conference with Mayor E. B. January and Chief of Police Link.

It was claimed that young boys had been frequenting these places and playing the machines so strongly that the attention of the authorities had been called to the practice.

VISIT THE RACKET STORE—MONEY SAVING PRICES PREVAIL

When you come to town Saturday stop and see our gingham and outtings. Buy early and avoid the high prices later.

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NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

THE NEWS' subscription list has been undergoing extensive pruning and overhauling recently in obedience to the order issued by the War Industries Board. Some mistakes may have occurred, and we request our patrons to report to us promptly failure to receive their papers. In correcting and revising a mailing list containing hundreds of names, with frequent changes of address there is a chance for errors to be made. It is to your interest to keep us informed of change of address, that we may keep the record straight and that you may get your paper promptly.

TO THE OIL FIELDS.

Mr. Catesby Woodford, of this city, who is one of the principal stockholders in a big producing company having large leases in Lee and Estill counties, left yesterday for a trip of inspection to the Dudley-Alexander lease, in which his company is interested. They brought in a three-hundred barrel well the first of the week. They have six wells on their lease, the smallest of which is a 150-barrel producer, and the others ranging up to five hundred barrels per day.

The Marchmont Oil Co., with headquarters and offices in this city, will bring in their initial well on the Bush lease in Wolfe county to-morrow.

NO AGREEMENT REACHED

As a result of the conference of the Light Committee of the Paris City Council, Mayor E. B. January and Consulting Engineer Weiss, and Attorney E. L. Kelso and Vice-president J. W. Porter, of St. Louis, representing the Paris Gas & Electric Co., the corporation and the city are still at variance over the lighting contract.

The attorneys for the Gas & Electric Company submitted a proposition for settling the matter of readjustment of gas and electric rates by practically a compromise in order to keep the matter out of the courts, but this was rejected by the city's representatives after a consultation, and the matter left in statu quo.

REAL ESTATE DEALS AND LAND SALES.

Tracy & Stokeley, of Winchester, as agents for Morris Renick, of Middletown, Ohio, sold this week to Mr. D. M. Hurst, of Millersburg, his 400-acre farm near Renick Station, on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, for \$64,000. Mr. Hurst will get possession in March, 1919.

Mr. Luther G. Morehead, of near Millersburg, purchased of Mr. Lee C. Bell, through the Eals & Harney real estate agency, of Cynthiana, the Bell farm of 62½ acres, located on the Ruddles Mill pike near Paris, for \$300 per acre. He will get possession in March, 1919. The farm adjoins the lands of Mrs. N. H. Bayless and Mrs. Sallie C. Hedges.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Mr. Charles K. Posner has returned from a visit to relatives in Cincinnati.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Conway, of Atlanta, Ga., are guests of Bourbon county relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGrath, of Harrodsburg, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. T. Lilleston, and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDonald and Miss Merle Shumake have returned from a visit of several days in Cincinnati.

—Rev. John Merringer, Mr. Ewell Renaker and Mr. Anderson Cahal will leave Monday for a stay at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

—Mr. John Roseberry, of near Paris, who has been ill for several days, will leave this week for a stay at Martinsville, Ind.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Tarr are attending the State Fair in Louisville while there they are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Redmon.

—Miss Ophelia Lary and Mr. Vernon Lary, of near Clintonville, are visiting Mrs. George McCray, at Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

—Miss Helen Hutchcraft is taking a six-weeks' course of training in the Home Service School of the National Council of Defense in Cincinnati.

—Mrs. J. Moler McVey has returned to her home in Dayton, Ky., after a visit to her father, Mr. Robert M. Terrill, and family, near Clintonville.

—Mrs. Lyttleton B. Purnell left yesterday for visit to her sisters, Mrs. Lee Barbour and Miss Mabel Hill, in St. Matthews, Ky., near Louisville.

—Mrs. A. L. Shaw, who has been a guest of Paris relatives, returned Tuesday to her home in Anderson, Ind., accompanied by her niece, Miss Mary Taylor.

—Miss Mattie Baldwin has returned from a two-weeks' vacation at Camp Daniel Boone, and has resumed her position as bookkeeper with the Farmers' Supply Co.

—Mrs. Cora Devereaux, of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Mary Powell, of Richmond, and Mrs. Mollie Powell, of Nicholaville, were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Harry Collins.

—Miss Mary Frances Campbell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Campbell, of this city, has matriculated as a student at the Ursuline Academy on Walnut Hills, Cincinnati.

—Mr. and Mrs. Strother Goff and their son and daughter, Mr. Allen Goff and Miss Julia Goff, of Oklahoma City, Okla., are guests of Mrs. Maria Bedford, on Pleasant street.

—Paris and Bourbon county are both well represented at the State Fair at Louisville this week. Bourbon exhibitors have been very fortunate in carrying off honors in several events.

—Cynthiana Democrat: "Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Sharrard have returned to their home, in Paris, after spending the summer on the farm near Broadwell. Mrs. Jas. Ellis, Miss Louie Bruer, Mrs. Henry Power, Mrs. Geo. Ellis, of Paris, and Miss Durham, of Mt. Sterling, visited Mrs. Sue R. Talbot and daughters on Thursday and attended Conference."

—The Lexington Herald's Society Notes of Tuesday says: "Mrs. Cassius M. Clay, of Paris, was among yesterday's out-of-town visitors. Mrs. Clay's two sons have both been called to their country's service. Lieutenant John Harris Clay is in Canada with the Royal Aviation Air force, and Cassius M. has been recently assigned to a camp at Jackson, S. C."

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#### MILLINERY DISPLAY DAILY AT SIMON DEPARTMENT STORE

Will have on display daily an exclusive line of Gage and Fisk pattern hats. Advanced styles.

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#### EVERY CRACK OUT OF THE BOX.

Bourbon county and Paris never fall down on war requirements. Our country's executives have asked for community "sings" in all localities and Paris was at it on the jump, but the Chorus had no place and no piano for the rehearsals. These needs were made known to our patriotic citizens and what was the result? In four hours \$175, in small amounts, was heartily subscribed toward buying a piano for the use of the Chorus during the continuance of the war and after that time the piano is to become the property of the Bourbon County Y. M. C. A. to be used by them in serving the "boys" after they come back. Old Bourbon is on the job all the time. What! The more she gives the more she wants to give. Get that? And the Y. M. C. A. has given the use of its auditorium for the rehearsals of the Chorus.

A list of the donors will be published later. Will your name or the name of your firm be in it? In this connection we might add—don't be a "Singing Slacker." Your country asks you to sing. Go to it, even if you are not a Caruso or Galli-Curci.

Subscriptions to the Piano Fund may be left with Mrs. Macie Fithian, Mrs. Fanniebelle Sutherland, Miss Julia O'Brien, E. T. Hinton, A. L. Boatright or Z. L. Wilcox. Don't wait to be looked up—look up yourself.

The committee, which carried the burden of this problem, shouted with pleasure when one of their number brought money and pledges (from his "still hunt") to the meeting Tuesday. Mr. E. T. Hinton usually goes in with "both feet" and the entire Chorus again has cause to appreciate his backing. Mr. Ed. doesn't care for flowers, but the Chorus will do better work and his fellow citizens will be a bit more patriotic for the example he has set.

It's use means stitching that will please,

Of sewing done with greatest ease;

Of satisfaction beyond measure—  
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### ANNUAL CONFERENCE CLOSES SESSIONS AT CYNTHIANA.

CYNTHIANA, KY., Sept. 12.—The Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, closed its ninety-eighth session Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, the last order of business being the reading of the appointments by Bishop Collins Denny.

The session was opened at eight o'clock by Bishop Denny, who led the morning worship. Two hundred delegates have been in attendance on all of the sessions, beginning Wednesday, September 4. Every day large numbers have come from all parts of the State represented by the Conference.

#### Large Attendances Sunday.

The attendance Sunday was the largest of any day. At the love feast at 9 o'clock, led by Dr. E. L. Southgate at the Methodist Church, followed by the sermon by Bishop Denny and the ordination service, the church was filled to overflowing.

The visiting ministers preached to large audiences at the other churches in the city.

Sunday afternoon, Dr. H. C. Morrison spoke at the Christian Church, while the memorial service was being held at the Methodist Church.

Sunday evening the Epworth League held union services with the various other young peoples organizations of Cynthiana, at the Presbyterian Church, with Mr. P. C. Regan, of Covington, as leader. Mr. Dennis V. Snapp, of Paris, the Conference President, also made a short talk.

#### Preachers Ordained Deacons.

Sunday morning Bishop Denny ordained the following traveling preachers and local preachers as deacons: Enos Waggoner, W. L. Byrd, Benjamin Sewell, George S. Conant, Orie C. Mingledorff, John A. Linn, George A. Young, C. M. Fawn, J. J. Davis; class ordained as elders, Leslie DeArmond, Robert Criswell, S. T. Fitch, W. D. McGowan, Edgar Ritchie, Orie Mingledorff and Henry Bromley.

#### Report of Commission of Finance.

The commission of finance read its report of assessments at the morning session, which was adopted. The assessments follow:

Board of Finance	\$ 8,046
Education	10,000
Conference Missions	7,500
Sunday School Board	2,000
Epworth League	500
Conference Entertainment	1,500
Ministers' Aid	800
Church Extension	125
Amount From General Conference	27,710
Total	\$58,181

The amount assessed against each of the districts as follows:

For General Work:	
Covington	\$ 4,550
Danville	4,550
Frankfort	4,417
Jackson	693
Lexington	4,500
Maysville	4,450
Shelbyville	4,550
For Conference Work:	
Covington	\$ 5,000
Danville	5,000
Frankfort	4,780
Jackson	1,000
Lexington	4,900
Maysville	4,791
Shelbyville	5,000

#### Change Made in Central Methodist.

The Central Methodist, the official organ of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, has been purchased jointly by the Louisville Conference and the Kentucky Conference, W. A. Swift being appointed editor. The Board of Publication will be composed of B. C. Horton, C. L. Bohon, R. M. Smith and David Davies.

A resolution was adopted to conduct an educational institute at Kentucky Wesleyan College, the week following commencement week. The committee in charge of this institute is C. H. Greer, W. E. Arnold, W. L. Cropper and J. L. Clark.

Bishop Denny in his closing remarks thanked the conference for its courtesy to him and also spoke of the harmony that had prevailed throughout the conference session. He then read the conference appointments.

#### List of Appointments.

**Covington District**—W. E. Arnold, Presiding Elder.  
Alexandria—S. D. Dean.  
Augusta—To Be Supplied.  
Benson and Curry—W. B. Garriott.  
Brooksville—T. W. Barker.  
Butler—S. J. Bradley.  
California—Ben Sewell.  
Covington, Scott Street—W. O. Sader.  
Covington, St. Luke's—J. E. Savage.  
Cynthiana—J. P. Strother.  
Dry Ridge—C. M. Fawn.  
Falmouth—S. H. Pollitt.  
Fort Thomas—J. M. Fuqua.  
Newport—James Crutchfield.  
Oddville—W. F. Wyatt.  
Visalia—J. R. Kendall.  
Walton and Erlanger—H. C. Whitaker.  
Williamstown—O. B. Beck.  
Y. M. C. A. Secretary—R. E. Coleman.

**Danville District**—C. H. Greer, Presiding Elder.  
Barbourville—R. R. Rose.  
Brooklyn Bridge—R. O. Schmitt.  
Bryantsville—G. S. Conant.  
Burgin and Mt. Olivet—H. A. Longina.  
Burnside—W. F. Vaughn.  
Corbin—J. W. Hughes.  
Danville—H. G. Turner.  
East Bernstadt—R. C. Evans.  
East Pulaski—W. C. Calvert.  
Gravel Switch—T. J. Francis.  
Harridsonburg—M. S. Clark.  
Lancaster—F. D. Palmer.  
London—G. W. Hoffman.  
Lynch Mines—E. C. Watts.  
Mackville—Enos Waggoner.  
McCreary—G. L. Lewis.  
McKendree—A. W. Vanderpool.  
Meadow Creek—C. F. Chestnut.  
Middlesboro—W. S. Maxwell.  
Moreland—E. L. Ockerman.  
Mt. Zion—W. L. Byrd.  
Perryville—C. W. Boswell.  
Pineville—H. W. Massie.  
Preachersville—J. M. Robinson.  
Richmond—M. T. Chandler.  
Somerset—W. L. Clark.  
Stanford—W. D. Welburn.  
West Pulaski—To Be Supplied.  
Wilmore—F. B. Jones.

President of Wilmore College—Dr. Baird.

**Frankfort District**—C. F. Oney, Presiding Elder.

Carrollton—W. R. Johnson.

Corinth—J. W. Harris.

Frankfort—C. L. Bohon.

Georgetown—E. K. Arnold.

Ghent—L. B. Simpson.

Gratz—J. R. Nelson.

Hinton—A. Redd.

Hughes Chapel—R. M. Criswell.

Hutchison and Oxford—R. B.

Millerburg—J. W. Gardiner.

Mt. Hope—F. T. Howard.

New Columbus—J. A. Linn.

Owenton—J. J. Thomasson.

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### DRAFT PROVISIONS NOT TO CRIPPLE THE BANKS

CINCINNATI, Sept. 10.—Regarding exemption of bankers and essential bank employees, President Chas. A. Hinsch, of the American Bankers' Association, has addressed a letter to the member banks of the association. The letter says:

"It is generally understood that various draft boards will consider as exempt, or at least place in deferred classification, bank officers and employees whose services are absolutely essential to the operation of their respective institutions.

"It has been suggested, however, that if left to the individual officer or employee to ask for exemption very few will claim exemption. In this connection your attention is called to the fact that the Provost Marshal General has ruled that banking is an occupation necessary to the maintenance of the national welfare, and that skilled officers, and employees of banks may claim exemption or deferred classification, under the new draft law, on the ground that their services are vital to the continuance of the business in which they are engaged.

"The Provost Marshal General states that waiving the right to be placed in a deferred classification is a mistaken act of patriotism. He urges every person affected by the law to state frankly and honestly his exemption status, as by doing so he will aid materially in the task of classifying registrants.

"Therefore, bank officers and employees whose services are essential to the business should not hesitate, for fear of criticism, to claim exemption or deferred classification on occupational grounds. To do otherwise would be a hinderance rather than a help at this time.

"If officers and clerks in banks, however, neglect or refuse to claim the exemption to which they are entitled, that claim may be made for them by the bank in which they are employed. Thus, if an officer or a clerk fears unjust criticism or believes his act may be misconstrued, the bank which employs him may file a claim for his exemption on occupational grounds with the District Board of Appeals. It is most earnestly desired, however, by the authorities at Washington, that every one state frankly and honestly his exemption status, as it will be considered more patriotic and helpful to do so than it would be to waive his rights."

This information was secured direct from the Provost Marshal General's office by a representative of the American Bankers' Association, who was authorized to state that:

"You have been advised upon the highest authority in Washington that it is not the intention of the Provost Marshal General to cripple the banks, but rather to do all he can to enable them to efficiently aid the Treasury in the furtherance of its fiscal policies."

### CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

This is not only one of the best and most efficient medicines for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, but is also pleasant to take, which is important when a medicine must be given to young children. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been in use for many years and has met with much favor wherever its good qualities have become known. Many mothers have given it their unqualified endorsement. Wm. Scrub, Chillicothe, Mo., writes: "I have raised three children, have always used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and found it to be the best for coughs, colds and croup. It is pleasant to take. Both adults and children like it. My wife and I have always felt safe from croup with it in the house." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy contains no opium or other narcotic.

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### A FAMILIAR SPIRIT.

(Life.) Medium: Now, sir, he stated, and in just a moment I will give a convulsive shudder, my voice will change, and I will go into a trance and begin to talk wildly, and possibly clutch you by the hair. You are not afraid, are you?

Dimpleton: Afraid! Why, that's what my wife does all the time.

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For diarrhoea in children one year old or older you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, followed by a dose of castor oil. It should be kept at hand and given as soon as the first unnatural looseness of the bowels appears.

### (sept-adv)

The School Board of Beverly, Miss., has adopted a rule allowing the employment of married women as teachers where the husband is in the army service.

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THE BOURBON NEWS, PARIS, KENTUCKY.

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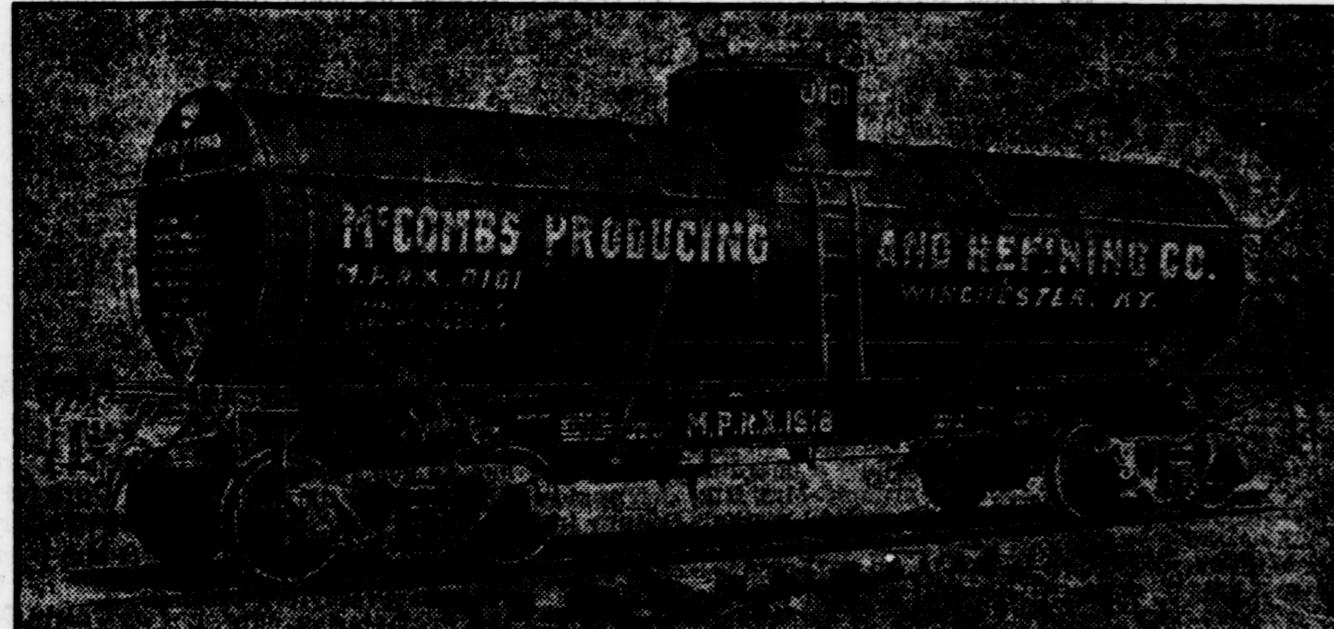
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## 30 NEW ALL-STEEL TANK CARS

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The capture of 700 Germans is the exploit attributed to Pierre Cellier, aged 23, a Corporal in the French tank corps. Two field pieces also were taken. Cellier has been awarded the Cross of the Legion of Honor, a reward rarely given to anyone but a commissioned officer.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the blood on Mucous Surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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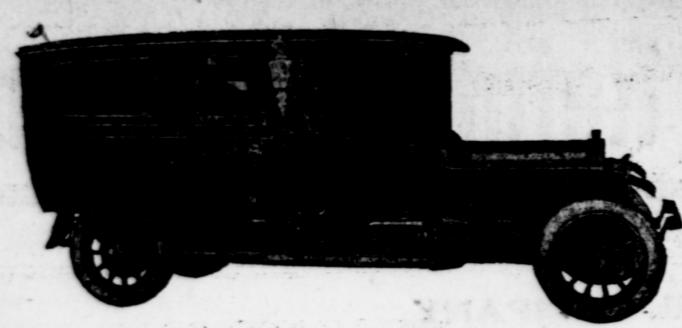


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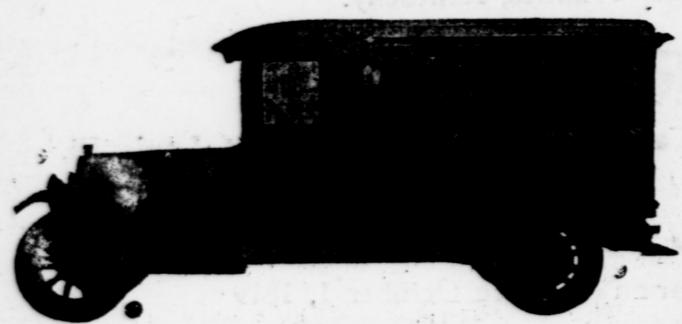
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**MILLERSBURG**

—Mrs. Adelia Miller continues very much the same.

—Millersburg is well represented at the State Fair at Louisville, this week.

—Regular meeting of Amity Lodge No. 40, F. and A. M., Tuesday evening, at 7:30.

—Mrs. Martha Vimont left Tuesday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Munsing, at Maysville.

—Mr. Lee Clarke, of Louisville, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clarke, from Monday until Thursday.

—Mrs. James Price and children, of Escondida, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rice, at Walnut Grove, Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Conway, of Atlanta, Ga., arrived Tuesday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Corrington, and to be with Mrs. Adelia Miller, who is quite ill.

—Mrs. T. E. Bowles, who has been conducting a boarding house in

the Best Flat for several months, will close her house Saturday. The reason assigned is that there is not enough business to make it pay.

—Mr. Rufus Butler, who was one of the sufferers in the fire last Monday, has rented the vacant store room, and has moved his stock into it. He will reopen his grocery as soon as his insurance losses are adjusted.

—Among the new students who will matriculate at the M. M. I. next week are the following from Winchester: William Massie, John Wm. Hodgkin, Emmanuel VanMeter, Theodore Phillips, Robert Hughes Scobee, Richard Coleman and Edward Hunter.

—Mrs. Mattie Purnell and daughter, Miss Bessie Purnell, moved to Paris, Wednesday. Mrs. Purnell has rented her property to Mrs. Neppie Rigdon, who will conduct a boarding house there for the present. Mrs. Rigdon operated the Blue Bowl restaurant and confectionery, which was destroyed in the fire last Monday.

—Mr. G. K. Hill sold on Monday his plumbing establishment to Mr. Earl Insko, terms private. Mr. Insko took possession on Tuesday. Mr. Hill

and family will soon go to Arizona on account of the poor health of their son, Mr. Earl Hill. Messrs. Hill and Insko were in Louisville on business Wednesday.

—The M. C. opened Thursday with a good enrollment. Quite a number of the young ladies came in on Wednesday. Every train and many automobiles brought in many more on Thursday. Several have not yet arrived, and they will be coming for several days. From every indication it looks as though the boarding department will be full.

—PUBLIC SALE.—Harris &amp; Speakes will sell at Public Auction for Miss Nannie Louise Best on the premises, Saturday, September 28th, at 2:30 p. m., her 3 desirable pieces of property located on Main Street, in Millersburg, Ky. This property is centrally located and a splendid investment. Will be sold separately and then as a whole, best bid or bids accepted.

(6-10-13-17-20) —The debris from the recent fire on Main street is now being removed. This is the second fire which has taken place on this site since 1885. All the property burned on last Monday was that of Mrs. Sue B. Sandusky. In the first fire it was the property of her father, Mr. J. M. Vimont. Mr. Vimont took little stock in insurance companies, and at the time he was burned out carried no insurance. His daughter, Mrs. Sandusky, had due \$4,000 insurance on her real estate, and none on the furniture in her home. Mrs. Sandusky at present is making her home with her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Vimont.

—The Ebenezer Presbytery convened at the Presbyterian church here Tuesday night and Wednesday. There were about twenty-five dele-

gates present. A number of churches in the Presbytery are without pastors due to the fact that so many of them have taken up various lines of war work. The regular routine of business was dispatched Wednesday, Rev. W. O. Cochran, of Augusta, former pastor of the Millersburg church, preaching Wednesday at 11 a. m. A large part of the work was done by the laymen in absence of pastors. An elaborate lunch was served in the basement of the church Wednesday at noon.

—The following is a partial list of those in attendance at the meeting of the Ebenezer Presbytery held in this city Wednesday: Dr. W. O. Cochran and Mr. Megibben, Augusta; Rev. J. E. Curtis, Normal; Rev. G. M. Howerton, Catlettsburg; Dr. W. D. Spears, Union; Rev. R. M. Caldwell, Moorefield; Rev. Lander and Mr. Jas. S. Wall, Carlisle; Rev. Bedinger and Mr. Hill, Richwood; Rev. Wilson, Lexington; Rev. Guerrant and J. M. Howe, Elizaville; Rev. Dr. Hunt, Covington; Rev. W. W. Evans, Greenup; Rev. P. S. Rhodes, Mr. G. D. Weathers, Mr. S. L. Weather, Clintonville; Dr. Wm. Cummings, Winchester; Mrs. Sallie J. Neely, Miss Kate Edgar, Rev. John J. Rice, Paris.

—NOTICE, TAX PAYERS. Your time is growing very short. Come to our office in the Court House and bring us your property lists. It will save you the penalty.

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Tax Commissioners for Bourbon  
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